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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:

Karsten Contag

Serial No. 10/533,282

Art Unit: 2874

Filed: April 8, 2005

Examiner: Rhonda S. Peace

For: DEVICE FOR THERMALLY TREATING AT
LEAST ONE OPTICAL WAVEGUIDE

**Mail Stop Amendment
Commissioner For Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450**

AMENDMENT

Dear Sir or Madam:

In response to the Office Action mailed November 22, 2005, kindly reconsider and reexamine the above-identified application in view of the following amendment and remarks.

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